

Protesters May Make a Brief Appearance in the Village this Weekend

You may recall that, last year at this time, several busloads of protesters from a group called National People's Action spontaneously protested outside a private residence in the 4000 block of Oliver Street. The group was large and loud, and they began to disperse and get back on the buses after about 15 minutes.

National People's Action is holding their annual conference in Washington, DC this weekend, and while we do not know for sure, there is a possibility that they may once again come to Oliver Street. NPA has a history of peaceful protests, and we expect that any inconvenience will be brief. Village police have been in regular contact with officials in the Montgomery County Police Department, and we will work together to keep the peace.

National Medication Take Back Day is April 27 Dispose of Unused Medication Properly and Easily at the Village Hall

Unused medication is a source of two significant and preventable problems: environmental pollution when they are discarded improperly and substance abuse when they fall into the wrong hands. So how should you dispose of unused medication? This year, your Village Police Department is participating in a national medication take-back day on Saturday, April 27 from 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. The event is sponsored by the federal government, and law enforcement agencies throughout the nation are participating. Simply bring your unused prescription or OTC medication (no liquids, please!) to the Village Hall and drop it in the box that will be attended by a police officer. The Police Department will dispose of the medication properly.